STATE OF ILLINOIS

BEFORE THE ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

Interstate Power and Light Company and ITC Midwest LLC

Joint Petition For Approval Of Sale of Utility Assets Pursuant To

Section 7-102; Transfer of

Franchises, Licenses, Permits or Rights to Own Pursuant to Section 7-203; Transfer of

Certificates of Convenience and Necessity Pursuant to Section 8-

406; Approval of the

Discontinuance of Service Pursuant to 8-508; and the Granting of All Other Necessary and Appropriate Relief. Docket No. 07-0246

ITC Midwest Exhibit PAW 7.2

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ITC Holdings Corp (ITC)

 Rating
 OUTPERFORM*

 Price (19 Jan 07)
 41.66 (US\$)

 Target price (12M)
 (from 40.00) 46.00 (US\$)

 52 week high - low
 41.66 - 25.03

 Market cap. (US\$ m)
 1,762.09

 Enterprise value (US\$ m)
 2,913.30

* Stock ratings are relative to the coverage universe in each

analyst's or each team's respective sector.

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Better after Further Review

COMPANY UPDATE

We have updated our earnings model and valuation work to incorporate the anticipated acquisition of Alliant's IP&L transmission system.

Our more refined estimates are consistent with our \$0.09 estimate of 2008 accretion and compound EPS accretion in the out years is greater than we had initially anticipated.

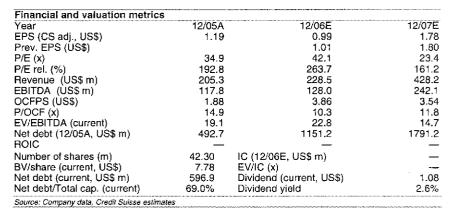
We are raising our target price for ITC to \$46 per share, built up from DCF and traditional multiples, and are maintaining our Outperform rating.

We like the acquisition and believe ITC has opened new strategic doors by

- Firmly expanding into states beyond Michigan
- Showing repeatability in its consolidation strategy, providing credibility when ITC approaches other potential sellers
- Providing a platform to demonstrate the benefits of ITC servicing transmission needs, allowing more capital constrained incumbent utilities to focus on other infrastructure needs (for LNT, more generation).

Even with Friday's move, we see drivers that could add \$6-9 to our target:

- Details on ITC Midwest capex in early Q207 (\$1.00-2.00 / share)
- Completion of feasibility study on Michigan transmission line (\$3 PV)
- Kansas decision on ITC as a state utility, providing opportunity to push forward on proposed transmission projects (\$1.50-2.00 PV)
- ROE at ITC Midwest consistent with ITC / METC (\$1.50-2.00)





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Room for More

In the following pages we address our earnings expectations and valuation methodology directly, but thought the key conversation needs to be identifying additional opportunity in ITC shares following the stock's nearly 9% move on the acquisition announcement. From our perspective we see two distinct camps for opportunity in ITC shares – those that are directly quantifiable with identifiable timing and those that are more conceptual but should not be overlooked.

When we take into account the quantifiable value drivers discussed below, we see further upside to our \$46 target price that could reach \$52-56 per share.

Exhibit 1: Incremental Value Drivers

Target	46.0)	
Michigan Line	2.50	3.50	
Kansas Investments	1.50	2.00	
ITC Midwest Greenfield	1.00	2.00	
ITC Midwest Higher ROE	1.50	2.00	
Future Consolidation	????	<u>????</u>	
	6.50	9.50	
Potential	\$52.50 -	55.50	

Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates

High voltage Michigan transmission line

ITC has been working with AEP to develop a 765 kV transmission line that would partly cross ITC's Michigan transmission system. While the companies are finishing up their feasibility study now, we believe more color on this project will come in 1H07. Assuming a cost of \$850 MM for ITC's piece of the project (which could be low), we would add approximately almost \$3 per share to our target price.

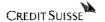
Kansas greenfield transmission projects

ITC has filed its application to become a Utility in the state of Kansas, which is now being considered by the state commission. As best we can tell, no formal schedule exists for approval of ITC's request but this appears to be the major impediment keeping ITC from moving forward with its efforts to invest in Kansas infrastructure. The total opportunity, as identified by Kansas, could reach \$1 BN of new investment. Assuming ITC is successful and is able to build half of the projects, the NPV benefit to shareholders would be in the \$1.50-2.00 per share range.

More capex at ITC Midwest

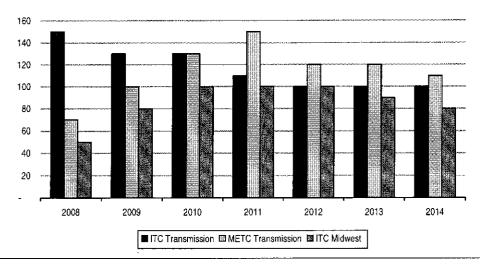
We appreciate that it's a little crazy to talk about spending upside for a business that is in the early stages of being acquired and for which management has yet to provide baseline capex expectations. Those reservations aside, we still think the conversation warrants some consideration.

Our baseline assumptions for ITC Midwest effectively follow the same ramping growth in capex that we have modeled for METC (although we have target spending levels lower than those for METC as shown in Exhibit 2). That said, we believe there are greater capex opportunities at ITC Midwest than the traditional pursuit of repairing / improving existing transmission system infrastructure in light of Alliant's plans to build new coal and wind powered generation — assets that could reasonably require greenfield transmission investment to deliver the new energy output to demand centers. We do not know how to explicitly quantify the opportunity but believe one exists.



An additional \$400 MM of greenfield capex would add about \$1.50 of present value upside to our target. We would look for considerably more color on capex expectations when ITC files with the state utility commissions in Iowa, Minnesota, and Illinois in early Q207.

Exhibit 2: Projected Capex by Utility: 2008-2014



Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates

Higher ROE at ITC Midwest

Our estimates including ITC Midwest assume the allowed ROE stays at 12.38%, which is below the returns for ITC's other utilities (13.88% and 13.38%, respectively). While the FERC is moving away from making explicit ROE adjustments between independent and integrated transmission operators, we believe ITC has a solid basis for requesting an ROE at ITC Midwest more consistent with its other utilities. Raising our ROE assumption by 100 basis points to 13.38% (same as METC) would add about \$1.50 of value to our target and would raise 2008 earnings estimates by \$0.05.

Platform for More Consolidation

The million (and arguably billion) dollar question prompted by ITC's second announced transmission system acquisition in less than a year is whether this strategic direction is repeatable? We have been admittedly skeptical since the IPO as to whether ITC would be able to acquire other transmission systems – the barriers to such transactions seemed too high. And, while we could downplay the METC acquisition as a natural solution for that business, the acquisition of Alliant's IL&P transmission business appears to address the issue head-on and indicate that there are willing sellers of transmission assets.

We do not know how to quantify – not would we want to attempt to quantify – the opportunities available to ITC to repeat the Alliant deal. That said, we also recognize that we should not count ITC out from repeating similar transactions, particularly as the company demonstrates its ability to improve transmission system reliability. We are not going to attach an assumed amount of value creation that could come from more consolidation, but we believe the incremental earnings growth from acquisition should at least continue to support ITC's premium valuation and lend confidence to the sustainability of the company's double-digit earnings growth trajectory.



Thoughts for Modeling

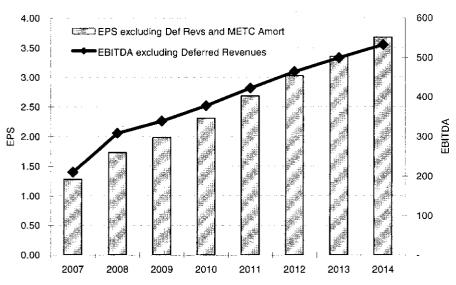
ITC provided a good amount of color around the Alliant transmission system acquisition without getting into financial specifics. While we always appreciate more details rather than less, we believe management is following a prudent course by wanting to include the state utility commissions in discussions about state specific transmission investment needs rather than making independent decisions and then sharing with the street.

Accordingly, we have had to thread together a number of assumptions and various regulatory filings to provide a more comprehensive look at the earnings accretion / benefit that should come from the acquisition. Our major observations:

- We built our Attachment O rate design using the 12/31/05 filing as a starting point and the \$400-425 MM rate base in 2007 as goal posts for a rate base starting point.
- We assume capex at ITC Midwest will ramp over the 2008-2010 period, similar to what
 is expected at METC. Our capex forecasts are fairly consistent with our expectations
 for METC but include a modest haircut relative to the METC numbers (Exhibit 2).
- We continue to use the currently allowed 12.38% ROE although we would look for ITC to pursue a higher ROE more consistent with the other utilities (13.88% and 13.38%).
- We assume FERC approves a forward looking rate mechanism effective 1/1/08 and ITC's 60% equity ratio, which would be consistent with what is allowed at the other utilities.
- We assume the deal closes on 12/31/07.

In Exhibits 6-9 we provide a look at our major model assumptions and consolidated financial statements for ITC. Exhibit 3 provides a look at our estimated EPS and EBITDA progression by year for the consolidated company (we exclude both historical deferred revenue recovery from ITC and METC as well as METC acquisition amortization to make period comparisons more applicable).

Exhibit 3: ITC EPS and EBITDA: 2007-2014



Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates



Valuation

We always find the greatest challenge with the ITC story coming from valuation, largely because there is no good comp group for the stock. Accordingly, we focus our efforts predominately on DCF valuation to take into account the large capital spending program over coming years and higher level of free cash generation at the end of the capital investment cycle. Exhibits 4 and 5 look at implied fair values for ITC under different discount rate and terminal value assumptions. Using the two methodologies (terminal multiple and perpetual growth), we are comfortable with a \$46 fair value for the stock before taking into account the incremental value drivers identified in Exhibit 1.

Exhibit 4: DCF Valuation: Terminal Multiple

			Dis	count Rate				_
		5.70%	5.80%	5.90%	6.00%	€.10%	6.20%	6.30%
<u> </u>	9.25x	43.82	42.87	41.94	41.02	40.11	39.22	38.33
Terminal EBITDA Multiple	9.50x	45.64	44.67	43.72	42.78	41.85	40.93	40.03
SITDA	9.75x	47.46	46.47	45.49	44.53	43.58	42.64	41.72
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Term	10.25x	51,10	50.07	49.05	48.04	47.05	46.07	45.10
	10.50x	52.92	51.86	50.82	49.79	48.78	47.78	46.79
	10.75x	54.74	53.66	52.60	51.55	50.51	49.49	48.48

Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates

Exhibit 5: DCF Valuation: Perpetual Growth

			Dis	count Rate				
		5.70%	5.80%	5.90%	6.00%	6.10%	6.20%	6.30%
ate	2.50%	48.33	45.18	42.22	39.43	36.80	34.33	31.98
Terminal Growth Rate	2.60%	50.72	47.40	44.28	41.36	38.60	36.01	33.56
<u>la</u> Gr	2.70%	53.27	49.76	46.48	43.40	40.51	37.79	35.22
Termi	2.80%	55.99	52.28	48.81	45,57	42.53	39.67	36.98
	2.90%	58.91	54.98	51.31	47,98	.44.67	41.67	38.84
	3.00%	62.05	57.86	53.97	50.35	46.96	43.79	40.82
	3.10%	65.43	60.97	56.83	52.98	49.40	46.05	42.92

Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates



Earnings Model

Exhibit 6: Key Earnings Model Assumptions

Exhibit 6: Key Earnings Mode	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
EPS recurring	0.93	1.57	1.99	2.24	2.12	2.49	2.84	3.17	3.49
Growth	-22.3%	69.6%	26.6%	12.6%	-5.4%	17.5%	13.7%	11.6%	10.1%
EPS ex METC amort	0.99	1.78	2.18	2.43	2.31	2.68	3.03	3.36	3.68
Growth	-17.0%	79.9%	22.3%	11.6%	-4.9%	16.1%	12.8%	10.9%	9.6%
EPS ex METC amort & Def Revs		1.28	1.73	1.98	2.31	2.68	3.03	3.36	3.68
Growth	400	0.40	35.2%	14.6%	16.5%	16.1%	12.8%	10.9%	9.6%
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Growth EBITDA ex Def Revs	96	210	309	339	1.8% 378	423	464	500	533
Growth	-18.5%	118.8%	46.9%	10.0%	11.4%	11.8%	9.8%	7.7%	6.6%
ITC EPS	0,99	1,69	1.74	1.90	1.88	2.02	2.12	2.22	2.32
Growth	-17.4%	70.9%	3.3%	8.9%	-1.1%	7.5%	5.3%	4.6%	4.5%
ITC EPS ex Def Revenues	0.77	1.50	1.57	1.73	1.88	2.02	2.12	2.22	2.32
Growth	-35.4%	94.4%	5.1%	9.8%	8.4%	7.5%	5.3%	4.6%	4.5%
Modeled Capex	145	190	150	130	130	110	100	100	100
Model ROE	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%
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Model Equity Ratio	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%
Peak Load Peak Load Growth	108,452 -2.2%	110,621 2.0%	111,728 1.0%	112,845 1.0%	113,973 1.0%	115,113 1.0%	116,264 1.0%	117,427 1.0%	118,601 1.0%
METC EPS	1.16	1.04 -9.8%	0.94 -10.2%	1.01 8.2%	0.87 -14.4%	1.06 21.9%	1,24 17.7%	1.40 12.1%	1.54 10.1%
METC EPS ex Def Revenues	0.63	0.73	0.66	0.73	0.87	1.06	1.24	1.40	1.54
Growth	5,55	16.1%	-10.1%	11.8%	18.4%	21.9%	17.7%	12.1%	10.1%
Modeled Capex	5	25	70	100	130	150	120	120	110
Model ROE	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%	13.4%
Model Equity Ratio	53.8%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%	60.0%
Peak Load Peak Load Growth	82,571 -3.3%	83,644 1.3%	85,317 2.0%	87,023 2.0%	88,764 2.0%	90,539 2.0%	92,350 2.0%	94,197 2.0%	96.081 2.0%
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Model ROE		12.4%	12.4%	12.4%	12.4%	12.4%	12.4%	12.4%	12.4%
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Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates

Exhibit 7: Consolidated Income Statement

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Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates



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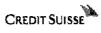


Exhibit 9: Consolidated Balance Sheet

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Source: Company data, Credit Suisse estimates



Companies Mentioned (Price as of 19 Jan 07)

Alliant Energy Corp. (LNT, \$36.70)

American Electric Power Co., Inc. (AEP, \$41.94, OUTPERFORM, TP \$43.00,

UNDERWEIGHT)

ITC Holdings Corp (ITC, \$41.66, OUTPERFORM, TP \$46.00, UNDERWEIGHT)

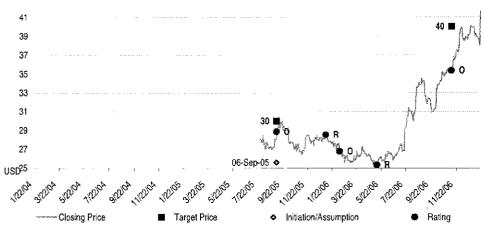
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ITC	Closing Price	Target Price		Initiation/
Date	Price (US\$)	Price (US\$)	Rating	Assumption
9/6/05	28.85	30	OUTPERFORM	Х
1/6/06	28.53		RESTRICTED	
2/9/06	26.75		OUTPERFORM	
5/12/06	25.34		RESTRICTED	
11/10/06	35.36	40	OUTPERFORM	

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